Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The urban fire of November 16, 1986, caused extreme damage to the City of Redfield, Spink County, South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, The fire destroyed six businesses and twenty apartments, and created a considerable amount of debris resulting in a potential health and safety hazard; and,

WHEREAS, This condition caused one death and left seventeen people homeless and without personal effects; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Redfield has suffered a great economic hardship as a result of the loss of businesses, jobs, and tax revenue:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, under provision of SDCL 33-15-8, otherwise known as the Emergency and Disaster Service Law, do hereby declare an emergency to exist in the City of Redfield and authorize such functions of State Government as necessary to effect the relief and recovery needed.

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED that the resources available from the Small Business Administration will be requested to assist the City of Redfield in recovering from this tragic loss.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirty-first Day of December, in the Year of Our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-six

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE